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SIGNATURE FOR AN ELECTRONIC  
RECORD STORED IN A DATABASE

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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed November 26, 2007 on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.